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As of December 1951, the following units of the Hungarian army were at Pécs (B22):

The 2nd Military District Headquarters
The headquarters of an infantry division.
The headquarters of the 27th Motorized Infantry Regiment, with some regimental units, including the 1st and 2nd Battalion. [The 3rd Battalion is at Siklós (B30) and at Nagyharsány (B40)].
The headquarters of the 21st Motorized Artillery Regiment, with the 1st and 2nd "groups".
The 7th Scout Group, reinforced with a company of 14 T-34 tanks.
The headquarters of an anti-aircraft artillery regiment, with two "groups".
These "groups" have been seen in positions in the area of Kupavár, Magnics, and near the Kozári hunting lodge.
A battalion of engineers.
A communications battalion.
A vehicle unit
Military Hospital No. 2
Ammunition dump.
The Dózsa György Officers' Training School.
The headquarters of the 10th Border Guard Battalion

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Notes concerning military installations, as indicated on the attached map:

1. The Pécs airfield is used by Maszovlet planes. Military aircraft do not use the field. There is a vehicle park at the northern edge of the base.
2. The Zrinyi barracks (formerly the Zrinyi Officers' School and Higher Military Technical Institute) now houses the Dózsa György Military School. It can accommodate 800 men.

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3. The Nagy Jenő Barracks (formerly the Ferenc József Barracks) now houses components of the 27th Infantry Regiment, including two battalions. Garages are being built near the Pius Boarding School.
4. The artillery barracks are at Szigeti Street 30.
5. The Pius Boarding School was requisitioned by the military authorities in 1950. It can accommodate 400 to 500 men. It is now occupied by a detachment of the Dózsa György Military School.
6. The former Nádor border guard barracks, with a capacity of one infantry battalion, now houses a communications battalion.
7. The Kiss János Barracks (formerly the Archduke Frederick Barracks) has capacity for one infantry battalion. It now houses the 10th Border Guard Battalion. It is on Malom Street.
8. The Police Barracks (on Búza Square) has a capacity for 400 men. It houses a police training battalion.
9. Former Gendarmery Barracks, with a capacity for 300 to 400 men, is occupied by elements of the Baranya County Police.
10. Military hospital No. 2: at Kertváros.
11. The Medical Department Barracks is now occupied by the military personnel of the Medical Department.
12. The Motorized Artillery Barracks, which were damaged during the war, were repaired during 1950. The capacity is for three motorized batteries. The present occupants are artillery units of perhaps the strength of three batteries.
13. The Anti-aircraft Artillery Barracks were renovated in 1950 and can accommodate three motorized batteries.
14. The former Hussar Barracks can accommodate one group of troops and a motorized battalion. It houses a scout group which makes use of a garage at Piac Square 21.
15. Military target range.
16. Ammunition dump.
17. New barracks of the AVH (blue barracks). Its capacity is for two motorized battalions. It houses a motorized battalion of the AVH.
18. This building is occupied by the headquarters of a division and by the 2nd Military District Headquarters.
19. The Stock House has a capacity for three motorized batteries.
20. Convent of the order of Paulinus. This convent was requisitioned by the military authorities in 1950. It is used for lodging recruits.
21. Piac Square - at the eastern side, near the railroad tracks, a garage has been built. Thirty tanks are parked there at present. It has a capacity for 80 to 100 vehicles.
22. An unspecified number of tanks were at the sports field during October and November 1951.

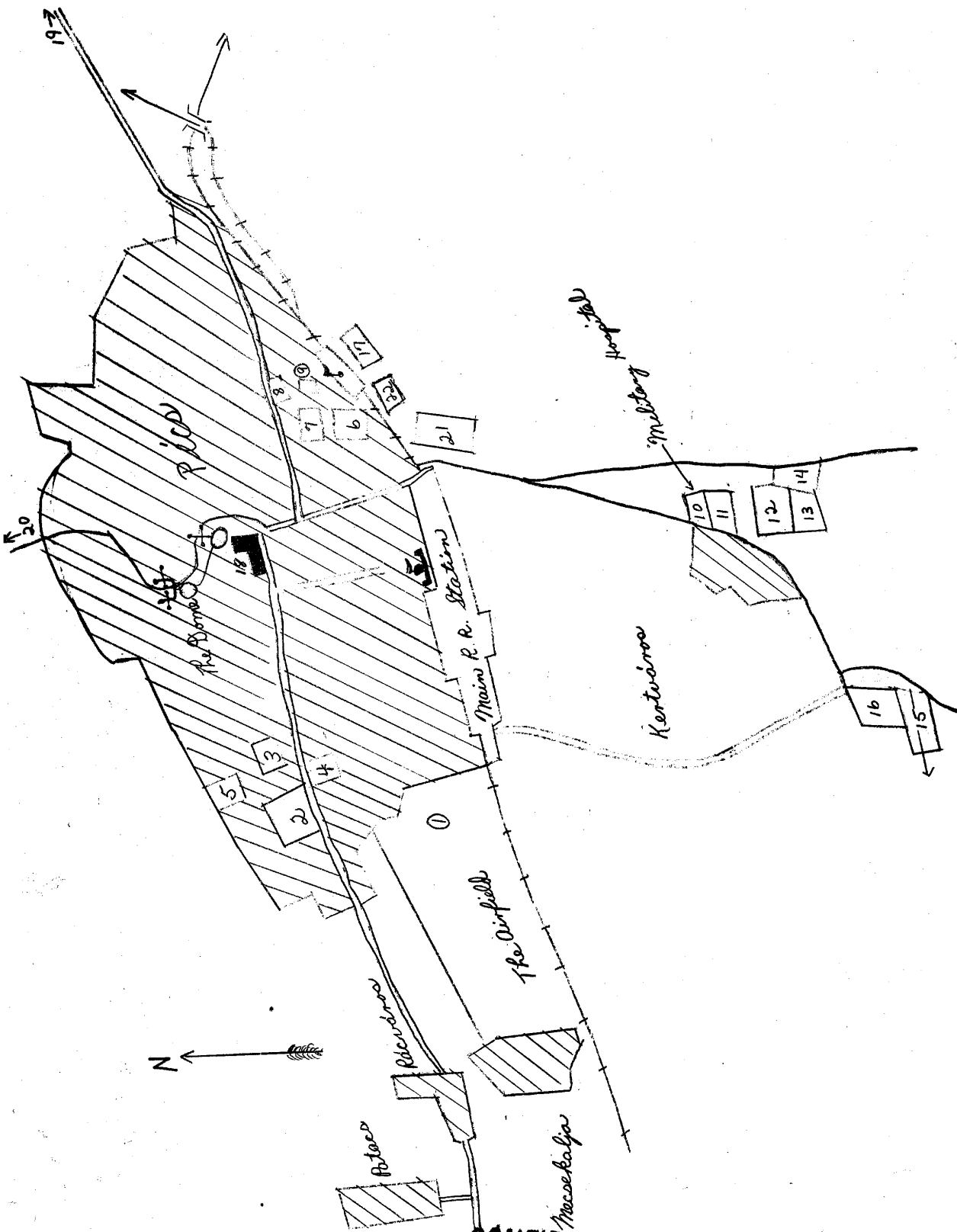
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